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A BIG EVENT IN ODD FELLOWS' CIRCLES

Officers of Odd Fellows and Rebekah Lodges Installed by Mr. and Mrs. Kehoe--The First Time in the State.

For the first time in the history of Odd Fellowship in this state, a man and wife were the installing officers at the public installation of the three Odd Fellow lodges and the two Rebekah lodges on Monday night. This happened because Charles H. Kehoe is the District Deputy Grand Master and his wife, Mrs. Nellie M. Kehoe, is the District Deputy Presi-

dent for the same district. Both have been very active for many years in Odd Fellowship and their appointment was very popular through the district.

There were about four hundred present for the public installation and it was a big event. The work was exceptionally good and it was set off with some electrical work that

added much to the beauty.

The officers of the Piscataqua lodge, No. 6, New Hampshire lodge, No. 17, and the Osgood lodge, No. 48, were installed by District Deputy Grand Master Kehoe and his staff who were: D. D. G. W., John H. Yeaton; D. D. G. M., Josiah M. Virelli; D. D. Sec., Fred E. Webber; D. D. Treas., W. G. Drew; D. D. O. J., Charles D. Allen; D. D. Chap., Edwin Underhill.

Following this work the officers of Union Rebekah lodge, No. 3, and the Fannie A. Gardner lodge, No. 82, were installed in office by District Deputy President Mrs. Nellie M. Kehoe, who was assisted by her staff: D. G. M., Agnes I. Brown; D. G. Sec., Martha A. Hill; D. G. Treas., Bertha I. Martin; D. G. Chap., Ella A. White; D. G. I. G., M. Alice Hilton; G. H., Mabel W. Trask.

The work was followed by a supper of ices and cake, and coffee, and this was followed by dancing until midnight. Taken as a whole it was

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EIGHT PERSONS LOSE LIVES

Early Morning Fire Destroys Equitable Building in New York--Loss Upwards of \$5,000,000

New York, Jan. 9.—The Equitable Life Assurance Building on Broadway, the home of the Union Pacific Railroad, and the building in which August Belmont has his offices, was practically destroyed by fire early today. The loss will be upwards of five millions.

Eight persons were killed and many more were more or less seriously injured by falling bricks and brands.

The fire started in the basement of the building, and within fifteen minutes after it was discovered it had shot up to the sixth floor and then burst out through the roof, following the air shafts. The flames spouted a fountain of sparks and burning brands that scattered for blocks in each direction. Crowds that gathered had narrow escapes from being trampled under foot by frightened horses.

It was testified at the recent insurance hearing that one office in the building had been fitted up at a cost of \$22,000. The other suites were of the same character, and the loss is enormous.

Eight employees of the building perished in the fire. William Giblin, president of the Mercantile Safe Deposit Company, was trapped in the basement, where he was trying to save books and papers, by flames which completely surrounded the room. Assistants who were helping him and who fled were unable to say whether Mr. Giblin had been killed.

The blaze was discovered about 6 o'clock this morning by a pedestrian who rushed up to Patrolman Foley, patrolling his beat a short distance away.

The man told Foley that he could see a bright blaze in the basement and that he feared the fire was a big one.

After turning in an alarm Foley rushed to the scene. He found Chief Engineer Davis, an employee of the building, trying to extinguish the flames, which were eating their way through the basement with alarming speed. Several assistants were playing streams of water on the blaze with no effect.

Within fifteen minutes the flames had made their way to the elevator shafts, where the wind draught whirled them upwards. Thus fanned, the fire gained headway and spread rapidly.

Seeing that the entire building was threatened, Foley dashed back to the nearest fire alarm box and turned in four more alarms one after another, bringing out all the fire fighting apparatus in the lower half of the city.

Despite the tremendous exertions of the firemen to keep the flames confined to the lower floors, the blaze lapped its way upward and within half an hour the fifth and sixth floors were engulfed with fire. The seventh and eighth caught next, and then the flames burst through the roof sending up a shower of sparks and flame like the eruption of a huge volcano.

Fanned by a high wind which was driving in from the bay, the tongues of fire were carried in the wind near to adjoining structures.

The firemen had to keep playing water on them to prevent their burning.

The roof crashed in about 7 o'clock carrying with it the men who were there fighting the flames.

The crash was accompanied with a mighty roar and shower of flames and sparks spouted upwards as the debris was hurled into the seething inferno.

Thousands of spectators who jammed the streets near the fire, saw the men on top of the building swallowed up as the roof fell.

The firemen made daring efforts to rescue the men, who were powerless in the terrific heat. The early apparatus on the scene carried ladders that reached only to the fifth floor. Firemen worked lengthening the extension ladders with flames beating from the windows into their faces. Many were seriously burned but stuck to their posts. Many firemen were injured by flying debris, which was blown from the roof by a high wind.

The fire started in a storeroom adjoining the Cafe Savarin, that famous restaurant opened by James Hazen Hyde when he had a voice in the doings of the Equitable Society. In the building at the time were twenty men consisting of Chief Engineer Davis, his assistants, window cleaners and watchmen.

A hose attached to a standpipe was brought into play while two men brought chemical extinguishers. The water that was directed at the store-room seemed only to add to the intensity of the fire.

Failure to turn in the alarm gave

the fire a good start. Policeman Foley said:

"I ran up to the building and rattled on the door for the men to let me in, but they wouldn't. They didn't seem to want to have an alarm turned in. Then I kicked on the door and threatened to arrest them. Then someone opened the door."

Though the Equitable was supposed to be completely fireproof when completed in 1887, it proved a regular tinderbox when put to the test.

SAYS HE STOLE TEN DOLLARS

Philip G. Brady will be heard in police court this afternoon on a charge of larceny. Brady is said to have made a cash on a lady friend on State street on Monday evening and when he departed she was shy \$10. She suspected Brady had the stuff and swore out a warrant for his arrest.

Officers Kelley and Philbrick got him on the Water street later and when searched he had over \$9.00 on his person.

WEATHER FORECAST

Jan. 8.—Forecast for Northern New England: Snow Tuesday, Wednesday fair and colder; high seas, shifting to northwest gales.

Local forecast for Portsmouth and vicinity—Tuesday rain. Wednesday fair and colder; brisk to high easterly to southerly winds, shifting to westerly.

VERY DISAGREEABLE

Drivers of store teams and others who were obliged to be out today in the teeth of the wind found the day to be one of the most disagreeable of the present year.

WOODS IS CHOSEN

At the meeting of Massasoit Tribe, No. 16, I. S. R. M., held on Monday evening J. Verne Woods was elected keeper of records.

SENTENCED TO DEATH

Richeson Pleads Guilty This Noon

Will Go to the Electric Chair Some Time During Week of May 19

(Special to The Herald)
Boston, Mass., Jan. 4.—Rev. Clarence V. T. Richeson pleaded guilty to the murder of Avis Linnell in the Superior court shortly before 1 o'clock this noon.

Judge George A. Sanderson sentenced him to be electrocuted some time during the week beginning May 19th.

Richeson was in court only seven minutes and then he was taken back to his cell in the Charles street jail.

Murder in the first degree was the crime charged and death in the electric chair is the legal penalty for that crime in Massachusetts. It is generally expected that now Richeson has been sentenced to death an application will be made to Governor Foss and the executive council for commutation of the sentence to life imprisonment. Only the governor and council have the power to grant such commutation.

Governor Foss intimated today that should a petition for such action be presented to him he would examine it thoroughly and submit it to the council for hearing.

It is not known upon precisely what grounds the attorneys plan to base their appeal for executive

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A COMING EVENT WORTH WAITING FOR

On Saturday, January 13th, Our January Clearance Sale

This sale will offer extraordinary bargains from every department. The price reductions will be made from OUR OWN LOW SELLING PRICES, not imaginary values. This will make the money savings even greater than they seem.

Wait for French's Clearance Sale, Commences Saturday, January 13th.

See later papers for full particulars of this great event and plan to shop here during this sale.

Outing Flannels

In Plain and Fancy Colors.....

8c 10c 12 1-2c

Domet Flannels

Bleached and Brown.....

6 1-4c 8c 10c 12 1-2c

Blankets and Comforters

Grey Blankets, 50x72, per pair.....79c
Grey Blankets, 64x76, per pair.....\$1.00
Grey Blankets, 64x76, per pair.....\$1.50
White Blankets, 50x72, per pair.....75c
White Blankets, 64x76, per pair.....\$1.00
White Blankets, 64x76, per pair.....\$1.50
White Blankets, 11-4, per pair.....87c
White Blankets, 64x76, per pair.....\$1.25
White Blankets, 64x76, per pair.....\$1.50
Full Size Fringed White Quilts.....\$1.50

The Rabens' Infants' Shirts.....50c

Children's EZ Waists.....25c

Kimona Flannels

12 1-2c and 15c

"Merode" Underwear

Fleeced Vests and Pants.....50c
Plain Cotton Jersey Ribbed.....50c
Cotton and Wool.....\$1.00
Silk and Wool.....\$1.00
Ladies' Bleached and Unbleached
Fleeced Vests and Pants.....25c

Combination Suits

Fleeced Union Suits.....\$1.00
Marino Union Suits.....\$1.50 and \$2.00
Silk and Wool Union Suits.....\$2.00 and \$2.50

Children's Fleeced Vests and Pants.....25c

Children's Marino Vests and Pants.....50c

Fleeced Union Suits.....75c

Merino Union Suits.....\$1.00

Infants' Heavy Cotton Vests.....25c

Infants' All Wool Vests.....50c

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STAPLES' LINEN SALE!

Begins Wednesday Morning, Jan. 10th

We Intend to Make This the Most Successful Linen Sale We Ever Held

Drummers Sample pieces of Damask, also Napkins, Tray Cloths, Tea Cloths, Scarfs, Squares, Doilies and Center Pieces.

DAMASKS

All Linen Satin Finished Damask
2 yards wide, \$1.25 Quality, 93c yd.
In 2 to 3 yard lengths.

EXTRA WIDE.

All Linen Bleached Table Damask
70 inches wide. Notice the width then the price.....53c yd.

Short Lengths All Linen Table Damask, During this sale, 44c yd.

Bleached Linen Finish Table Damask, 63 inches wide.....23c yd.

Very Heavy All Linen Cream Damask, 2 yards wide. Regular \$1.00. Quality. During this sale.....75c

NAPKINS

All Linen Etched Table Napkins marked very low for this sale.....\$1.00 doz.

Other Napkins Marked down to.....\$1.12, \$1.35, \$1.58, \$1.80, \$2.25, \$2.47 and \$3.47 dozen.

SCARFS, SQUARES, ETC.

White Hemstitched Drawnwork scarfs and squares. During this sale.....23c

All scarfs, squares, doilies, center pieces, in Battenburg, Mexican Drawn and Maderia Work, marked very low for this sale.

CREAM DAMASK.

Cream Table Damask, 60 inches wide.....39c and 47c

Imported Scotch Damask, all linen half bleached, 60 inches wide.....59c yd.

TOWELS

Good size Huck Towels with Red Border, during this sale.....5c each

Large size Bleached Huck Towels Plain White or with Red Border. Sale price.....8c each

All Pure Linen Huck Towels, during this sale.....12 1-2 yard

Bleached Turkish Towels, Hemmed, specially priced for this sale.....3 for 25c

CRASHES.

Bleached, Twilled Crash with Red Border.....3 1-2c yard

All Linen Brown Crash with Blue Border. Linen Sale price.....5c yard

All Linen Glass Towelling with Red or Blue Checks. Sale price.....3c yd.

LEWIS E. STAPLES, 7 MARKET ST.

U. S. DESTROYERS IN 80 MILE GALE

Seven Reach Bermudas Safely.-No Word From Three.-Paulding Suffers the Most

Hamilton, Bermuda, Jan. 8.—The small dockyard here is crowded with storm-tossed and weather-beaten American torpedo boat destroyers. Up to this evening seven had reached port. They are the Perkins, Walker, Ammen, Sterrett, Preston, Trippe and Paulding.

Three others, the Mayrant, McCall and Drayton, have not been heard from.

After encountering a northwest gale on Thursday and Friday, which the officers and men describe as a hurricane, the flotilla ran into a southwest gale on Sunday night.

The Paulding, which had been disabled in the first storm, felt the fury of the gale more than the others, and fared worse. Fortunately when about 20 miles northeast of Bermuda, she was sighted by the battleship Michigan, which supplied her with provisions, and gave her her dockyard badly damaged.

She reached Bermuda this morning, but when entering the harbor ran onto a submerged coral ledge. She was soon floated and is now at the dockyard, badly damaged.

The commander of the Paulding, Lieut. S. H. Doyle, said today that the gales were the worst he had known during his 15 years at sea.

He remained on the bridge 48 consecutive hours. Few of his crew were allowed on deck at one time. When 60 miles east of New York the Paulding, which had been pounded and buffeted for hours, lay to for a day and a half.

The wind was blowing at the rate of 80 miles an hour and tremendous seas were running, in which the little vessel rolled 60 degrees. The whole of her wireless apparatus was carried away and she was unable to maintain communication with

either the parent ship Dixie, which herself was in serious difficulties, or her sister ships.

The port anchor was carried away the fore compartments were flooded provisions were spoiled and the crew had to do without food. Officers and men were hurled out of their bunks and most of them had to lie full length on the floor.

Some of the men in the performance of their duties, were cut and bruised as a result of violent falls on the deck and contact with the ironwork.

The gale last night was acquiesced by a blinding hail storm which lashed in the faces of those whose duty compelled them to be on deck.

Already the Paulding has undergone an examination and after repairs she will leave for Guantanamo with the rest of the flotilla.

All the other boats show marks of their rough experience, although probably the Trippe, which also arrived today, commanded by Lieut. Frank J. Berrien, suffered less than the others.

Ensigns James Irish and R. G. Walling were quite badly cut and bruised by falls. The Trippe is the only one of the 10th division destroyers which left Newport on Jan. 3, to arrive here. The Ammen, which is also of the 10th division sailed from Norfolk.

The battleship Michigan is now searching the waters around Bermuda for the missing Mayrant and McCall.

Although the dry dock was submerged and made ready for the Dixie it has not been found necessary to dock her. The general opinion among the officers is that the vessel will be ready for departure for Guantanamo in two or three days.

POLICE OFFICER CAN'T ACCEPT AN OFFICE

The Police Commissioners have refused to allow Officer Frank H. West to accept the position of Automobile Officer for this city, and Secretary of State Pearson will have to appoint somebody outside of the police force.

This action was taken at a meeting of the Police Commissioners on Monday afternoon, and it was the understanding that no police officer will be allowed to accept any other office, while serving on the force.

This does not bar such jobs as the men have at dances, etc., on nights when they are not working, but does bar all other work that would at all interfere with their work.

THE PINK LADY AT THE COLONIAL THEATRE

Fascinates Boston Theatregoers and Totally Eclipses All Musical Comedy Predecessors

Klaw and Erlanger's magnificent production of that gem of musical comedy "The Pink Lady," with the identical cast intact, which appeared during the remarkable run of this presentation for a whole year in New York, is now obliterating all records of success at the Colonial Theatre, Boston, here for the past four weeks it has been received at every performance by enormous audiences, testing the utmost capacity of the theatre and who by their vociferous applause and resounding laughter have stamped it, not alone the incomparable musical entertainment of the year, but the best ever witnessed in Boston for many years.

This resilient gem of wholesome laughter, and charming melody, superbly presented by a perfect organization of notable singers and comedians, cannot be judged by the

standard of modern musical comedy, occupies a class wholly by itself. This performance will not be seen in any other city in New England except in Boston.

The Boston critics are unanimous as may be gleaned from the following in their encomiums of lavish praise excerpts.

Boston Transcript says: "Distinctly the best musical comedy of the season, in fact, for many seasons."

Boston Herald: "Seldom, if ever, has musical comedy of so great merit been acted so well, and staged so sumptuously. It deserves a long and prosperous run."

Boston Globe: "We have had nothing so good for many a day, a company remarkable in numbers and of uncommon excellence. The production in its entirety is artistic and delightful."

The Boston Post: "A success of the first rank, a musical comedy on the ordinary standards."

Boston American: "Out of a perfect maze of tantalizing musical numbers and an overwhelming rush of delicious comedy one becomes conscious at the Colonial Theatre that 'The Pink Lady' was the brightest spot in many theatrical seasons."

Boston Traveler: "We heartily recommend that congress speedily pass a law compelling every citizen to attend a performance of this real musical comedy."

Seats for "The Pink Lady" may be obtained two weeks in advance by mail order enclosing remittance.

THE LOCAL POSTOFFICE

Postmaster Connor's Report Will Show a Business Far in Excess of Previous Years.

Postmaster Joseph P. Connor, now busied with the compilation of annual reports, Saturday issued brief summaries of the postoffice business in the three months ending Dec. 31 and also a description of the work accomplished by the office during the Christmas week. The annual report, he says, will show a business far outstripping the business of any other year.

In the course of the three months

Sensational Canadian Ice Skater Who, Experts Predict, Will Capture Amateur Title



Montreal, Canada, Jan. 9.—Now that Edmund Lamy has joined the ranks of the professionals a spirited contest of the international amateur ice skating title is on. Although there are many claimants, the coming races will decide who is entitled to the honors. Many experts predict that R. H. Wheeler, the sensational local boy, will carry off the emblems.

In 1911 Wheeler was Lamy's most dangerous rival. At the international outdoor championships at Saranac Lake, N. Y., Wheeler finished second to Lamy in the half and mile events and beat the champion in the two mile race.

MUSICIANS' UNION ELECT

The annual meeting of the Portsmouth Musicians Union was held on Sunday and the following officers elected for the ensuing year:

President, John Parlin.
Vice president, George D. Whittier.
Secretary, Fred H. Marden.
Treasurer, G. E. Edlibrick.
Trustees, F. A. Robbin, George O. Gray and R. S. Parker.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH

The usual services were held at St. John's on Sunday, consisting of the early celebration of the Holy Communion in the chapel at 8 a. m., morning prayer and sermon by the rector, the Rev. Harold W. Folsom in the church at 10:30 a. m., and evening prayer and sermon in the chapel at 7:30 p. m. Yesterday being the first Sunday in the month Holy Communion was celebrated at the 10:30 a. m. service.

The usual session of the Sunday school was held in the chapel at 9:15 a. m.

The Duplex Envelop system, recommended by the Board of Missions in New York and at the New Hampshire Diocesan Convention, is to be introduced in St. John's parish.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION

Application for the stenographer and typewriter examination for positions in the Portsmouth Navy Yard and Federal officers in Portsmouth should be filed with Edward E. Stebbins, District Secretary, Post office Building, Boston, Mass., on or before January 15, for the next annual examination, to be held at Portsmouth January 23d.

Application from 1371 and information concerning examination can be secured from Mr. L. Goodwin at the Portsmouth Postoffice.

MASTER PAINTERS MEET

The Master Painters Association of New England are meeting at the Quincy House, Boston, today. Fred Gray of this city, a member of the organization, is attending.

Best and Latest in Motion Pictures at Music Hall.

ROCKINGHAM COUNTY

Interesting Items from Places Adjacent to Our City

Chief Justice Robert M. Wallace of Milford came here yesterday afternoon and opened a session of superior court for the hearing of court cases, it being the continued session of the regular October term which has been in progress at Portsmouth since last fall.

Sheriff Cyclon Spinney of Portsmouth, Deputy Frank O. Tilton of Exeter and a few members of the bar were present, but there was but little business done. The calling of the docket and the summoning of witnesses for the future cases was the program.

Samuel W. Emery of Boston, G. K. Bartlett of Derry and W. D. Pulver of Salem were the only attorneys from out of town present. The remainder of the week will be devoted to the hearing of court cases, none of which are of much general interest. There are a few uncontested libels and minor cases set for some time in the course of the week.

On Jan. 16, the January term will open for the trying of jury cases. The first one marked for trying is that of David W. Faulkner against Everett W. McNabb, both parties being from Portsmouth. It is a case of alleged negligence.

The cold wave which has passed was the severest of the winter, the temperature registering 10 below zero. Frost caused two broken rails at Rockingham Junction and a long time was required to fix them. One was broken on the side track, and the other, which was fractured in two places, was the crossing where the two lines fork. They were discovered in time. Trains were required to go slow over the rails until they were repaired.

The members of Frank E. Rollins company, U. R. K. P., will hold a drill Wednesday evening for preparation for the inspection which is to be held on Jan. 24.

Wednesday evening the members of the Wehannawowit tribe of Red Men are reckoning on holding a ball.

The senior class of the high school has chosen Lewis E. Robinson to deliver the class will, and Vernon C. Bond to deliver the class poem at the graduation exercises in June.

The Benedict club held an assembly at Unity hall this evening.

Mrs. F. E. H. Marden was taken to the Portsmouth Hospital on Monday for treatment and operation.

TIED DOWN

20 Years' Slavery—How She Got Freedom

A dyspepsia veteran who writes from one of England's charming rural homes to tell how she won victory in her 20 years' fight, naturally exults in her triumph over the tea and coffee habit.

"I feel it a duty to tell you," she says, "how much good Postum has done me. I am grateful, but also desire to let others who may be suffering as I did, know of the delightful method by which I was relieved."

"I had suffered for 20 years from dyspepsia, and the giddiness that usually accompanies that painful ailment, and which frequently prostrated me. I never drank much coffee, and cocoa and even milk did not agree with my impaired digestion, so I used tea, exclusively, till about a year ago, when I found in a package of Grape-Nuts the little book, 'The Road to Wellville.'

"After a careful reading of the booklet I was curious to try Postum and sent for a package. I enjoyed it from the first, and at once gave up tea in its favor."

"I began to feel better very soon. My giddiness left me after the first few days' use of Postum, and my stomach became stronger so rapidly that it was not long till I was a (as I still am) to take milk and many other articles of food of which I was formerly compelled to deny myself. I have proved the truth of your statement that Postum 'makes good, red blood.'

"I have become very enthusiastic over the merits of my new habit, and during the past few months, have conducted a Postum propaganda among my neighbors which has brought benefit to many, and I shall continue to tell my friends of the 'better way' in which I rejoice." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

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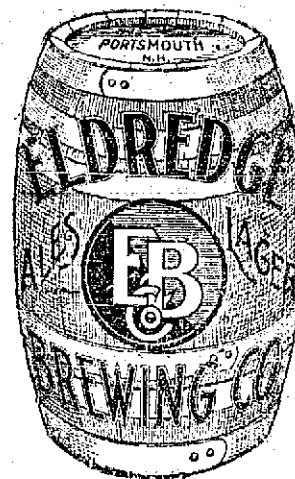
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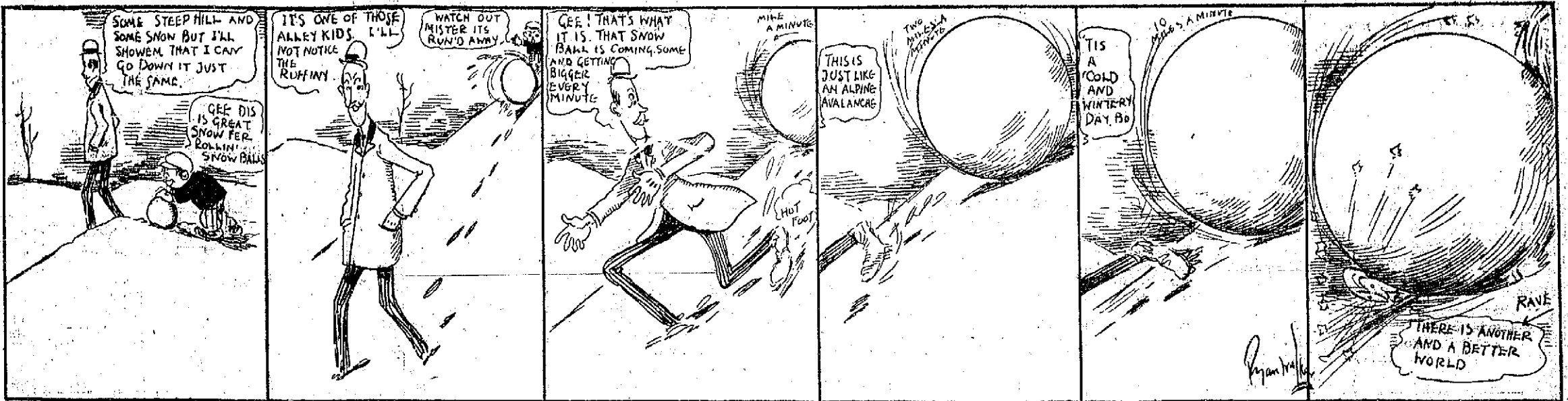
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MR. I. L. SHOWEM

He Gets Mixed Up With a Snow Ball

By Ryan Walker



RICHESON TO BE SENTENCED THIS NOON

Breakdown of Senior Counsel Leads to Delay--Fight for His Life on Insanity Lines.

Boston, Jan. 8.—Rev. Clarence V. Richeson, the self-confessed slayer of Avis Linnell, did not appear in court at 4 o'clock this afternoon to change his plea of not guilty to guilty, as had been arranged by his counsel and the district attorney, for the case has gone over until tomorrow, when it will be heard at the close of the morning session, presided over by Judge Sandersoll, between 12 and 1 o'clock.

This conclusion was reached as a result of a nervous breakdown sustained by counsel William A. Morse of the defense, and the information of this was communicated early this forenoon to John L. Lee, Richeson's senior counsel, who later held a telephonic conversation with District Attorney Peabody, when it was decided to continue the case until tomorrow.

According to the present arrangement, if Mr. Morse cannot appear in the case tomorrow Philip R. Durbar, junior counsel, may decide to step in and represent the defendant. Mr. Lee was very anxious to get back to his home in Virginia tonight, and had planned to do so, but this unexpected turn in the case will compel him to remain over until the final disposition of Richeson's case.

Mr. Lee is unfamiliar with Massachusetts court procedure, and for that reason he would much prefer to have Mr. Morse act for the defense, who has been on the go, suffering much from nervousness and putting in sleepless nights. Friday night he showed signs of giving way, for at that time he told Richeson's confession in his pocket, and had spent the evening pleading for his life with the district attorney.

The information was given out by Courtland G. Morse this morning that his father would be unequal to the task, and a conference was arranged between the younger Mr. Morse, who is associated with his father in the law business, and Mr. Lee.

It was decided that a continuance should be asked for and despite the strong desire of Mr. Lee to return to his home he consented to remain over another day in hope that Mr. Morse may be able to go to court with him tomorrow.

There is little doubt that all efforts to save Richeson from the chair, to which he will probably be sentenced tomorrow, or whenever the case is heard, will be along the lines of insanity. The lawyers will not say that such a step will be taken, and in fact will not discuss it, but those closest to the defense assert that it will be taken up.

When asked this morning if he would say anything relative to future action, Mr. Lee said: "I am going home as fast as the train will carry me, and have made no plans for the future in regard to this case. I have no doubt but the efforts of his

friends will be pursued along natural lines."

While Mr. Lee's answer was not quite satisfying, it indicated that efforts on behalf of Richeson will be along the line of insanity.

Already a flood of letters have begun to flow into the office of Gov. Foss in behalf of the prisoner. There is a feeling that Gov. Foss will turn the petitioners' names to good account and request them to influence their legislators in helping him to change the law and abolish capital punishment in the electric chair, a form of penalty he appears to be very much opposed to.

In the desire of the clergymen and others who feel that Richeson should be allowed to live in order to exploit his crime, the Governor will have a powerful lever with which to shape the legislators to his views on this subject.

The real effort to save the clergyman's life will not begin until after the plea has been changed and the sentence imposed by the court, and then there will be an avalanche of letters and petitions directed to Gov. Foss and the members of his Council.

MAKE UP YOUR MINDS, GIRLS!

The Best Way to Observe Leap Year—Try to Decrease the Divorce Evil.

Perhaps St. Patrick permitted the women to propose marriage in leap year, and thus established a tradition which survives as a subject of idle jest. Perhaps the idea of leap year proposals originated in Scotland in the thirteenth century. It makes no difference. Women have never offered themselves as wives to the men of their choice oftener in leap year than in any other year. When a woman wants to marry a man she frequently—we had almost said usually—accomplishes her purpose. If it suits her, as it generally does, to compel him to make the formal proposal, she knows how to accomplish that purpose, too. Leap year, in that respect, is a humbug. As a matter of fact, it has no significance at all. It is a makeshift to correct, in a clumsy way, an error in the accepted calendar. The only thing it has to brag about is the 29th of February, which generally comes and goes without notice. The inferiority of the male sex on that day is not accounted more conspicuous than on any other days. The superiority of women in many important respects, as freely acknowledged throughout the civilized world every day of every year.

We doubt if it would increase her attractiveness or magnify her social importance if she should take the leap year tradition seriously and "pop the question" instead of inspiring the act of popping. Every offer of marriage is made with a chance of rejection. We do not now recall the exact estimate of the statisticians as to the application of the law of chance in this matter, but we all know that men are sometimes rejected. If that were not the case, and had not been the case since the institution of marriage, the body of the world's poetry would be much smaller than it is. Blighted affection has inspired tomes of verse. Few women would care to place themselves in the position of reject-

ed suitors, even if they could thus acquire poetic inspiration.

We do not advise the women to take upon themselves the duty, of office, or privilege, of proposing marriage in this year of 1912, but we do urge them to be careful to make up their minds seriously before saying "yes." Wedlock is a desirable state, and divorce is probably a necessary institution. But it would be better to decrease the scandalous number of divorces, even at the expense of decreasing the number of marriages.

—New York Times.

GOVERNMENT AID FOR INJURED.

Civilian employees of the naval yards and naval stations, when sick or injured, may be removed to their homes in a Government ambulance provided the distance is not so far as to cripple the ambulance service. In case a removal would place the life of the sick or injured person in jeopardy, a general order issued at the Navy Department provides for treatment at the naval hospital until such time as a removal would be safe. This treatment to be paid for at the rate of fifty cents a day.

To feel strong, have good appetite and digestion, sleep soundly and on joy life, use Burdock Blood Bitters, the great system tonic and builder.

WARMER WEATHER PREDICTED

Boston, January 8.—Warmer weather is on the train headed for Boston. Its atmospheric influence is already felt here. The temperature rose faster this morning than it did yesterday or last Saturday, and it rose higher. Before night it may get up to 30 degrees, and is likely to be accompanied by snow. Conditions are favorable for this snow to turn into rain tomorrow, and the raw east wind may swing around to the southwest. It may develop considerable velocity, but will be milder than the sharp wind movements of last week.

Frozen water pipes will have a chance soon to thaw out. Zero weather has left its marks on land and water. Three days of it has done much damage and caused suffering. It has been as severe in New England as in most sections of the country, excepting the Rocky Mountain slope. It has been almost unbearable on the sea.

Sunday was the coldest day of this

year, though because of the calm it did not feel as sharp as the weather of last Saturday. It caused the inland water sheets to freeze up solidly and safely for skating. Even the harbors became covered. According to the official record, made by the Weather Bureau in Boston, the mercury went down to one degree below zero at seven o'clock Sunday morning, which was the coldest of the season. It seldom touches that mark on top of the Federal Building. Down in the streets and in the suburbs of Boston it was much colder.

ISSUES CHALLENGE.

Poehler Is Anxious to Meet Any Bowler in the State.

Paul Poehler, the crack bowler, who has been doing some great work here, has issued a challenge for any man in the state for a ten string match. He prefers Jack Renner of this city, who is a very clever man with the pins.

Poehler does not bar any man in the state and it is hoped that something can be framed up.

Portsmouth people are fast learning that The Herald publishes all of the local happenings many hours ahead of other local evening papers.

BREAKS A COLD IN A FEW HOURS

Says Quinine Isn't Effective in the Cure of Colds and Grippe

Nothing else that you can take will break your cold or end grippe, so promptly as a dose of Pape's Cold Compound every two hours until three consecutive doses are taken.

The most miserable headache, dizziness, head and nose stuffed up, feverishness, sneezing, running of the nose, sore throat, mucous catarrhal discharges, soreness, stiffness, rheumatism pains and other distressing signs to leave after the very first dose. Pape's Cold Compound is the result of three years' research at a cost of more than fifty thousand dollars, and contains no quinine, which we have conclusively demonstrated is not effective in the treatment of colds or grippe.

Take this harmless Compound at directed, with the knowledge that there is no other medicine made anywhere else in the world, which will cure your cold or end Grippe misery as promptly and without any other assistance or bad after-effects as a 25-cent package of Pape's Cold Compound, which any druggist in the world can supply.

A BIG EVENT IN ODD FELLOWS' CIRCLES

Continued from First Page.

A big event with the Odd Fellows. D. D. Grand Master Kehoe and his staff go to Exeter on Wednesday evening, when they will install the officers of the lodges of that town.

GOOD ROADS TRAIN

Is Apparently Held Up by Some Legal Obstacles

The coming of the good roads train of the national department of agriculture to New Hampshire is apparently held up by legal obstacles which the authorities are now endeavoring to surmount.

The proposition made to the governor by the department was that the railroad should draw the train through New Hampshire free of expense, all on board, however, to pay the regular fares.

The railroad accepted the proposition through President Mellen, provided that such transportation would not come in conflict with the federal or state transportation laws.

Recently the railroad asked the public service commission for authority to handle the train as desired. That body has replied that the permission desired can only be gained by permission of the interstate commission, and that they are without jurisdiction as the matter is wholly within the law enacted by congress for the regulation of interstate business.

It is probable that no further plans for the visit of the train to the state will be made until the matter can be taken up with the national commission and its assent obtained.

Cures baby's croup, Willie's diphtheria and bruise, mamma's sore throat, grandma's lameness—Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil—the great household remedy.

"The Evil of Impure Literature," a story with great morals at Music Hall today.

CARNEY TO TRAIN EXETER

John J. Carney, who made his debut in baseball with the Manchester team back in the 80s, and who has since had a wide experience as player, manager and scout, has been tendered the desirable position of coach for the team representing Phillips Exeter academy during the ensuing season. There were more than thirty applications for the position, and the selection of Mr. Carney was made by the athletic director, H. A. Ross, after fully considering the merits of all the aspirants.

Jack Carney's many Manchester friends will rejoice in this bit of good fortune which has come to him, and will extend hearty congratulations. All who know Mr. Carney's range of temperament, wide experience and ability to work have no hesitation in predicting that he will "make good."

EQUAL SUFFRAGE MEETING.

The next meeting of the Portsmouth Equal Suffrage League will be held in the Colonial Room of the Rockingham at 3.30 o'clock on Wednesday. Mrs. Lucius N. Thayer will preside. The speakers for the afternoon will be Miss May Hamner, Miss Helen Arnold, the Hon. Edward Adams, Mr. George A. Woods, Mr. Lylo Guther and Mr. Frank Leavitt. All of the members are requested to bring friends as a large attendance is desired.

The Herald is receiving many compliments on the manner the local news field is handled.

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You can't afford to put on poor shingles. Put on shingles that will stay put—a roof that will last a long time. To make a new roof or remake an old one you need the best. Our

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King George and Queen Mary on Public View; One of the Pretty Scenes of the Indian Durbar.

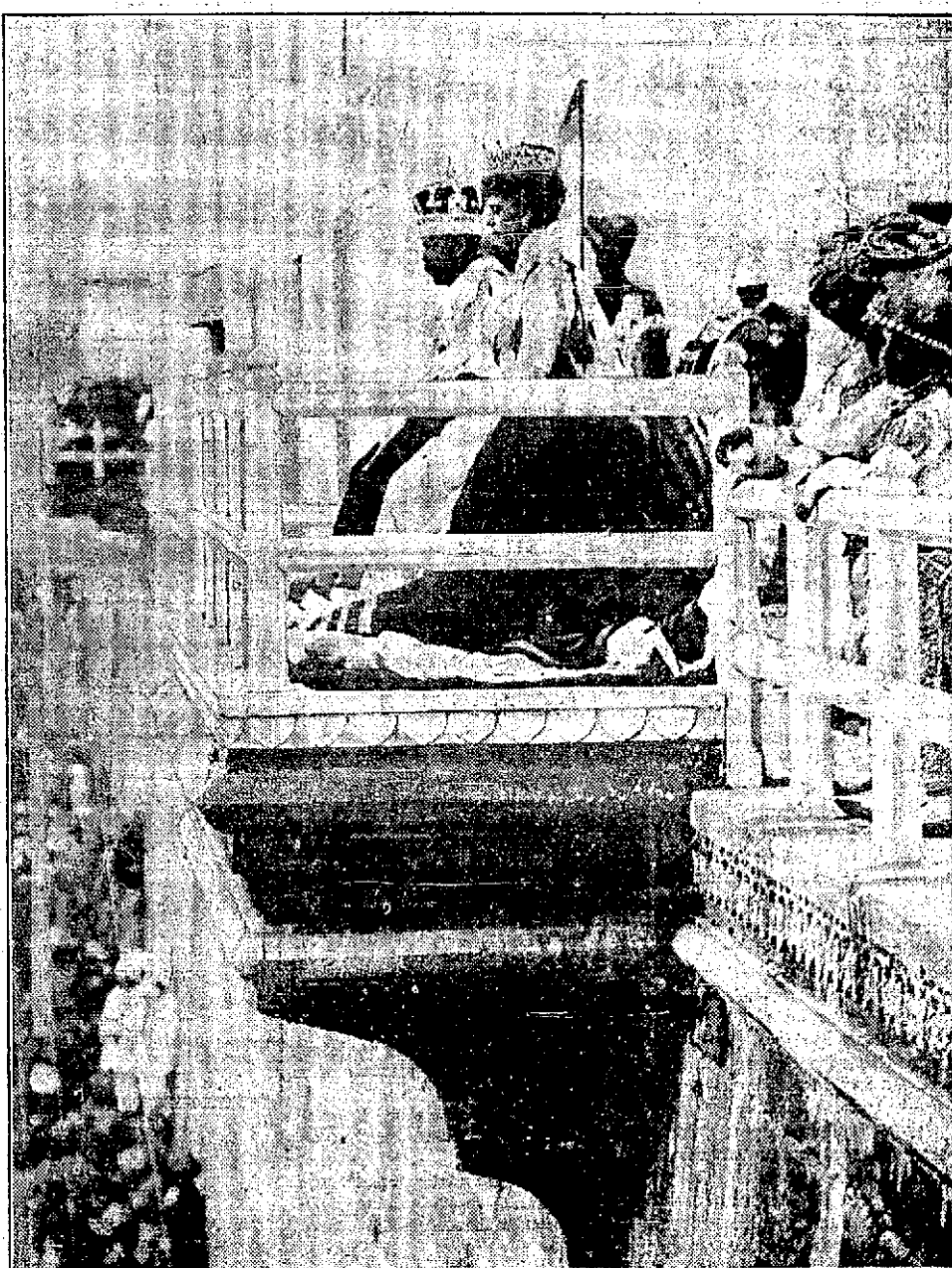


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One of the most effective features of the recent Durbar at Delhi took place on the day after King George and Queen Mary were proclaimed emperor and empress respectively of India. It consisted of an exhibition of themselves by the king and queen, who sat in an improvised hanging balcony built on a great wall so that the multitude could pass by and behold their rulers.

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For PORTSMOUTH
and PORTSMOUTH'S
INTERESTS

TUESDAY, JANUARY 9, 1912.

The old saying "many are called,
but few are chosen," will again be il-
lustrated on Thursday evening next
when the city fathers distribute the
plums from the municipal tree.

Seven old and weatherbeaten salts,
relics of the past, made old and crimp-
pled by their toilsome task of fishing
mid winter storms and the heat of
summer sun, walked feebly up the
yard and into the house which they
will now call their home—the John
Hays Hammond Home for Aged and
Disabled Seamen, January 1, at Glou-
cester, Mass. Mr. Hammond gave
the house and the rooms are named
after those who have furnished them.
There were numerous donations of
all sorts and kinds and a great public
interest was shown in the success
of the institution. At last these
wandering followers of the sea have ar-
rived at a snug harbor.

An exchange says: The latest medi-
cal dictum—or what appears to be
the latest, for physicians talk freely
in these days—is to the effect that
the limit of safety in alcoholic indul-
gence is three drinks a day. This
particular number is apparently
reached on a whiskey basis, and most
persons will consider it a sufficiently
liberal allowance. But how many
glasses of beer or claret or cham-
pagne are to be considered as the
equivalent of the three drinks? And
are there not those who would be
more injured by one drink than
others would by six? The doctor's
prescription does not seem to be
quite specific enough.

Under the terms of a proclamation
issued by the President recently and
promulgated by the War Department,
only in cases of great emergency are
the Red Cross nurses and workers to
be allowed at the front in time of
war. The Red Cross people must be
confined to hospitals at the base of
operations or on board hospital
ships and along lines of communica-
tion. The same proclamation names
the American Red Cross as the only
volunteer society authorized to ren-
der aid in time of war to the Army
and Navy, and other societies desir-
ing to assist can do so only through
the Red Cross.

The old saying "necessity is the
mother of invention" is being brought
in use in Paris. It appears that
some ingenious advertisers, prohib-
ited from distributing handbills, are
now "calling up" their victims and
informing them without pretense of
the virtues of this or that article of
commerce. The trick, though it may
escape the law, is perhaps less bril-
liant than it seems, for the chances
are that most persons who are sum-
moned to the telephone in this fash-
ion will vow in their rage never to
buy the article thus thrust upon their
notice.

BIRD'S EYE VIEWS

A spowstorm that causes no serious
agitation concerning street cleaning
is entitled to a few kind words.

It may be that those Manchus are
largely responsible for the constitu-
tional prejudice China has enter-
tained against foreigners.

There may be moments when La
Vista wenders why Roosevelt does
not keep busy with his new national
party in order to have it in shape

to turn over to somebody when nom-
inations are due.

Investigators might as well realize
that J. P. Morgan is a preoccupied,
taciturn man who seldom volunteers
opinions except at a board meeting.
It would have been so much more
fortunate or Mme. Curie had she de-
voted her studies exclusively to
chemical affinities.

All that Chandler seems inclined to
say to Cavalieri's divorce charges is
"much obliged."

An effort to reorganize the old
Mark Hanna political machine will
possibly result in calling attention to
the great improvements possessed by
the later steam roller models.

Just by way of keeping pace with
events in their native land, the Or-
Leongs and the Hip Sixes decided to
hold a few pitched battles in New
York's Chinatown.

In matters of metallic investigation
just now neither gold, silver nor steel
gets anything like the attention that
the recent shrinkage in mercury has
aroused.

There may be some difficulty in de-
ciding whether Mr. La Follette is the
big show or the Barker outside the
tent.

The defective flue will now put in
its annual appearance as a source of
trouble for the fire department.

Discovered or undiscovered, the
north pole has proved equally useless
for any practical purpose.

There will be numerous frosts of
all kinds between now and next No-
vember.

AMONG OUR EXCHANGES.

Lowering the Death Rate.
Judging from the preliminary re-
turns just issued by the census bu-
reau regarding urban mortality rates,
the various efforts that are being
made to improve the physical condi-
tions of the people are being attend-
ed by gratifying success. While in
some places the death rates have in-
creased slightly, the tendency is
downward. A decline from 15 per-
cent to 14 percent has occurred in ten
years in twenty-two states and forty-
five cities outside of those states, em-
bracing a population of 57,327,697. It
is to be expected that this tendency
will be maintained in the further
statistics. Indeed, it is hardly con-
ceivable that with all the works in
progress for the cure of insanitary
conditions there should be any other
result.

Against two of the most dreaded
scourges of disease now prevalent (tu-
berculosis and typhoid, unnamed can-
cers) are being waged. A large
amount of money is being spent for
the prevention of the former, through
education and direct intervention,
the provision of hospitals and home
treatment for those in needy circum-
stances, the enforcement of sanitary
regulations to prevent the spread of
the disease, the improvement of con-
ditions in factories and other large
establishments, once shockingly con-
ducive to infection—in short, by
every possible means to awaken the
people to a sense of their danger
and the possibility of prevention and
even of cure. The fight against ty-
phoid is being conducted on some-
what similar lines, but with less of
an organization. Education here
plays its part in revealing the truth
regarding the disease to those ignor-
ant of it. Something is being done
also in regulating the food and water
supplies to lessen the chances of
spread, though in this regard the
most serious need is an interstate
activity and a harmony of official pro-
cedure giving to all communities the

ACT QUICKLY

Delay Has Been Dangerous in Ports-
mouth

Do the right thing at the right
time.
Act quickly in time of danger.
Backache is kidney danger.
Doan's Kidney Pills act quickly.
Plenty of evidence to prove this.
Mr. John W. Smart, 172 Gates
St., Portsmouth, N. H., says: "Eight
of nine years ago I began to suffer
from kidney trouble. I had sharp
pains in the small of my back which
at times changed to a dull, grinding
ache and I over-exerted myself, my
sufferings were intensified. I felt
tired nearly all the time and had
but little energy. Having reason to
believe that my kidneys were disor-
dered, I began trying various reme-
dies but without success until I pro-
cured Doan's Kidney Pills at Phil-
brick's Pharmacy. The contents of
two boxes improved my condition."
For sale by all druggists. Price 50
cents. Patent Medicine Co., Buffalo
N. Y.

Remember the name—Doan's—and
take no other.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

Gleanings From Files of Portsmouth Chronicle

Jeff Davis' bogus Confederacy has
already acknowledged itself bank-
rupt. The Secretary of the Treasury
has informed Tennessee that the
"Government" cannot pay the sum
that State has expended for the war.
It is rather questionable whether
Tennessee herself can pay the
amount.

New contracts with singers in
England stipulate that if encores are
accepted, additional pay will be ex-
pected.

Russell, the London Times corre-
spondent, is down with the typhoid
fever, which disease seems to effect
everybody who spends much time in
Washington.

The Bangor Courier tells of a cou-
ple of determined fellows, who, bear-
ing that a naval rendezvous was es-
tablished at Bangor, walked eighteen
miles from Frankfort Mills to enlist,
and were received.

The same spirit animates a large
proportion of the patriotic tars of
Maine.

maximum of perfection. Much may
be accomplished through inocula-
tion, which promises excellent re-
sults.

In the laboratories bacteriologists
are at work seeking to solve elusive
problems, such as the nature and
cause of cancer, the origin and treat-
ment of Bright's disease and other
afflictions that are not yet definitely
conquered or remain among the
grave dangers to which humanity is
exposed. It is, of course, impossible
also to cure all cases of illness. But
it is certainly possible to render the
living conditions so much better and
to teach the people so much more
clearly to understand the nature and
causes of disease that their chances
of life will be increased, with the re-
sult of a further lowering of the
death rates.—Washington Star.

RICHESON'S CONFESSION

Not for many years if ever in this
country has there occurred such a
case as this of Rev. C. V. T. Rich-
eson, the Baptist minister in Cam-
bridge, who has confessed his guilt
of the wilful murder of Miss Avis
Linnell, the girl to whom he had
been engaged and who expected to
become a wife. Well it is for the
Christian church that such shocking
and well nigh unbelievable depravity
is so rare among these commissioned
to its ministry. Otherwise the
church must be discredited and the
ministry cast down from its high
position. In justice to all, however,
it should be said that as a rule with
few exceptions the ministers of every
denomination are a superb, class of
men justifying the confidence placed
in them. So high indeed is their
place in the community that when
one falls it is like the fall of Lucifer
son of the morning. For one Rich-
eson there are thousands and tens of
thousands who are blameless. The
blackness of Richeson's deed looms
up all the darker by contrast
with the whiteness of the lives of
the great majority of his professional
brethren. He is the black sheep of
the flock; more than that, he proves
to have been a wolf in sheep's cloth-
ing, beast of prey set to guard the
flock. These facts are fairly to be
taken into account in estimating the
case and it would be most unfair and
"logical" to cast his crime up against
the church or the ministry—as unfair
as it would be to argue that because
a bank cashier defrauded the other,
therefore all bank cashiers are dis-
honest. We hear of the dishonest
ones here and there as they get
found out, but we do not hear of the
multitude of honest ones whose
names never get into the papers.

As for this Richeson, he is a psy-
chological phenomenon. The motive
of his crime is clear. He wished to
get rid of one in order that he
might marry another, but how a man
of his training and position could
bring himself to do such a dreadful
thing passes comprehension. His
methods were clumsy; he left such
a broad trail all along the way that
the detectives easily picked it up and
"traced him down." So strong were the
circumstances that even if he had
not confessed there was practically
no doubt of his guilt or that it would
be fastened on him by the trial. His
confession has saved the state a dis-
agreeable task, saved the public from
the recital of sickening details and
hastened the inevitable outcome.
But what could have been the state

A chestnut gelding called Garibaldi
during a recent hunt in Yorkshire,
jumped thirty-two feet clear over
high posts and rails.

The New York World says there
is a disposition on Change to with-
draw all connections with houses in
Liverpool that took part in the re-
cent "indignation meeting" there.

Private letters received at Wash-
ington from distinguished English
politicians, settle all doubts as to the
acceptability of the settlement of the
Trent affair. The correspondents
state that the hostility of the Eng-
lish people towards the United States
has greatly abated, and that even a
proposition on the part of the United
States for an arbitration would en-
able the peace party there to avert
hostilities. The return of the rebel
prisoners, even upon the grounds
stated in Mr. Seaward's dispatch to
Lord Lyons, will, effectively extin-
guish the war fever, and produce a
reaction in favor of the United States
and adverse to the rebels.

of the man's mind? Was his con-
science paralyzed? Had he no sense
of prudence? Had he no fear of be-
ing found out? Did it not occur to
him that there was such a thing as
remorse and that it might come to
live with him? How dare he, with
treachery and murder on his soul
to think of making another innocent
girl his wife and looking her life
with his own? How could he after
deliberately taking the life of his
former sweetheart, occupy the pulpit
and preach as if nothing had hap-
pened? How could he practice such
hideous hypocrisy and carry it off
with such a face? It is all an awful
mystery.—Portland Press.

CASCARETS FOR A SICK, SOUR STOMACH

Gently but Thoroughly Cleanse and
Regulate Your Stomach, Liver and
Bowels While You Sleep.

That awful sourness, belching of
acid and foul gases; that pain in the
pit of the stomach, the heartburn,
nervousness, nausea, bloating af-
ter eating, feeling of fullness, dizziness,
and sick headache, means indiges-
tion; a disordered stomach, which
cannot be regulated until you remove
the cause. It isn't your stomach's
fault. Your stomach is as good as
any.

Try Cascarets; they cure indiges-
tion, because they immediately
cleanse and regulate the stomach, re-
move the sour, undigested and fer-
menting food and foul gases; take
the excess bile from the liver and
carry off the decomposed waste mat-
ter and poison from the intestines
and bowels. Then your stomach
trouble is ended forever. A Cascaret
tonight will straighten you out by
morning—a 10-cent box, from any
drug store will keep your entire fam-
ily feeling good for months. Don't for-
get the children—their little insides
need a good, gentle cleansing, too.

THE NO SCHOOL SIGNAL

When It Is Struck and For What
Grades in Stormy Weather

The no school signal is the number
two struck four times on the bell
and whistles of the fire alarm system
and is as follows:

If sounded at 7:45 a. m., it cancels
the forenoon sessions of all schools
four grades.

If sounded at 8:15 a. m., it cancels
the forenoon sessions of the kinder-
garten and first grades in all schools.

If sounded at 12:45 p. m., it can-
cels the afternoon sessions of all
schools and grades.

If sounded at 1:15 p. m. it cancels
the afternoon sessions of the first
four grades.

During the winter months when
the afternoon sessions opens at 1:30
the signal is sounded at 1:05 instead
of 1:15.

FIREMEN MEET AT BOSTON

Chief Engineer John D. Randall
and President Horace W. Gray of the
Franklin Pierce Veteran Firemen's
Association are attending the meet-
ing of the New England League at
the American House, Boston, today.

ARREST IN BIG

BANK ROBBERY

"Australian Mack" Wanted in
\$375,000 Steal Arrested in
New York

New York, Jan. 8.—John McNa-
mara of San Francisco, known to de-
tectives in half a dozen cities as
"Australian Mack," was arrested
here tonight by Central officers and
private detectives on a warrant
charging him with the larceny of
\$375,000 from the Bank of Montreal
at New Westminster, B. C., which
was dynamited Sept. 14.

Eleven hundred dollars was found
in his wallet, and detectives are
searching the city tonight for
\$240,000 of the bank's funds which he
is believed to have brought to New
York with him.

For 10 days McNamara had been
"shadowed" by the police here. For
more than two months he had trav-
eled over the United States and Can-
ada with his pursuers, apparently
without suspicion that he was watch-
ed.

Police Headquarters here first
learned of his arrival in New York
from a hint that efforts were being
made by some one to exchange a
large amount of Canadian money for
American currency.

The police watched the money
brokers and the men who approach-
ed them, and the trail of the latter
they said, led them to McNamara's
lodging. None of the money was
found there, however, and none of
the bank's bills were upon his per-
son.

Negotiations for McNamara's ar-
rest have been under way for a week
between the police here and the Can-
adian authorities. They ended this
afternoon with the issuance of a
warrant by Chief Magistrate McAdoo.

Four detectives, two from Police
Headquarters and two from the
Pinkerton agency, surrounded Mc-
Namara on the street in Harlem
late in the afternoon and placed him
under arrest. He submitted quietly
and asked to see the warrant.

After he had read it, he smiled and
said: "I am greatly relieved. I
thought it was some serious charge."

Besides larceny, McNamara is
charged with dynamiting the bank's
safe and binding and gagging a
Chinese watchman employed by the
institution.

McNamara joked with his captors
when they urged him to confess and
said that he was traveling over the
country looking for a good place to
open a cafe. The police say that he
was once the proprietor of the
"Green Turtle" safe in San Francisco
and the "Log Cabin" cafe in Los
Angeles.

He admitted the police say, that
he was in British Columbia at the time
the bank was robbed and that he
lived at the Strand Hotel at Van-
couver afterwards, but he declined
to say anything further about the
case.

McNamara will be arraigned to-
morrow. Assistant Police Commis-
sioner Doherty said tonight that the
British consul general here would
ask for his extradition to Canada.
For nearly 16 years, the police as-
sert, McNamara has been known to
the American with burglary in Bos-
ton and in Cleveland, the police
aver, although he was discharged
in each instance.

The crime with which McNamara
is charged, the police explain was
committed by four men, who, they
say, entered the New Westminster
branch of the Bank of Montreal on
the night of Sept. 14 and after bind-
ing the watchman and dynamiting
the safe, departed so heavily laden
with loot that they wrapped it in pil-
low slips and sheets and had to use
an automobile to get away.

They dropped a \$5000 bundle of
bills in their haste and finding that
they had more than they could carry
hid \$24,000 in gold and bills beneath
a wooden sidewalk in New West-
minster. Two hundred and forty
dollars of the stolen money was
negotiable but lacked the signature
of the bank's officials. World wide
notice was sent by the bank to
other banks to be on their guard
against receiving this money.

RAILROAD NOTES

The Hampshire Southern railway,
which was built two years ago by
Frank Vanderbilt and other New York
and Washington interests from Rom-
ney to Petersburg, has been sold to
the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, with
which it already connects at Romney.
Peter Doby, twenty-six years, of
No. 6 Johnson terrace, Dorchester,
was fined \$25 by Judge Churchill in
the Dorchester District Court Mon-

Stout Shoes

This is the time of year
when they are needed

For Boys:

- Hi-Cut shoes
- Oil Grain seamless shoes
- Heavy tap soled shoes

For Men:

- Hi-Cut shoes
- Heavy grain working shoes
- Heavy tan viscolized shoes

Rubber Boots Felts and Rubbers
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MANY IMPORTANT DECISIONS EXPECTED

Supreme Court Today May Make History by Decisions on Famous Cases.

Washington, Jan. 8.—With more than 100 cases under consideration the Supreme Court of the United States is expected to hand down many important decisions tomorrow when it probably will announce opinions after the holiday recess.

The court is expected to adjourn immediately after convening because of the funeral of the wife of Justice Day.

More light may be shed on the anti-trust problem by decisions in the St. Louis bridge case, the "hard coal" suit against the principal anthracite coal-carrying railroads and coal-producing companies of Pennsylvania, and the "cotton corner" case, arising out of transactions on the New York Cotton Exchange.

The validity of several Federal laws may be determined. Foremost among these is the employers' liability law, which has been under consideration by the court since last February. A second decision may be rendered regarding the validity of the "Carmack amendment" to the Interstate Commerce laws, whereby initial carriers were made liable for damages or loss of goods whether occurring in their lines or those of connecting carriers.

The fate of a score or more of State laws may be decided. Of these, the constitutionality of the Oregon initiative and referendum system has attracted the most attention, because the ruling of the court will be applicable to laws in nearly half the States of the Union.

Foreign corporation laws of Kansas, New York and Texas may be passed upon. Other laws under consideration are the "hours of service law" for railroad employees in the State of Washington; the Missouri anti-trust law; the North Dakota drainage law; the Kansas "black powder" law; the New York transfer tax law; the Montana law taxing hand laundries; the North Carolina law regulating the receipt of goods by railroads; and the Arkansas law requiring railroads to pay within 30 days claims for live stock killed by trains.

Several general questions of law have been decided, such as the validity of the transfer of allotted lands by thousands of Oklahoma Indians, and the liability of insurance companies for policies on the lives of men executed for murder. The latter point arose in the case of Samuel J. McCue, Mayor of Charlottesville, Va., who was executed in 1905 for the murder of his wife.

WOMEN FARMERS.

"The time is not far distant when women will turn to farming as a permanent occupation in this country, for already several bright and enterprising women have demonstrated that they can succeed in agriculture," said Judge F. L. Fowkes of Los Angeles in a Baltimore American man.

"In Texas there is a woman who has been making a clear profit of from \$25,000 to \$30,000 a year growing onions, and she is known far and wide as the onion queen of the Lone Star state."

"In California we are tremendously proud of our first woman cotton raiser, Mrs. Sallie F. Wiles. To a small number of folks it will be news that that any cotton is grown in California but during the last three or four years its production has been going on in the Imperial valley and this season at least 100,000 acres were planted to that crop."

Mrs. Wiles owned a ranch that was succeeding in making a good crop of alfalfa and barely one season the next year she determined to try her hand at cotton and planted

70 acres against the advice of all her neighbors and fellow ranchers. She knew nothing as to the culture of the plant and the hired men who aided her were just as ignorant, but she got a bale for every acre, which is considered a fine yield in the best cotton section of the south.

"The people of the valley through out its length and breadth were jubilant over the woman planter's triumph. They held a big festival in her honor not long ago at which she was crowned queen of the valley, and the gown she wore was actually made out of cloth woven at a California mill from material she had herself grown. Encouraged by this experience she is now determined to add sugar beet production to her other crops, and I haven't the least doubt she will be equally successful in that line."

At the meeting of Damon Lodge K. of P., to be held this evening, the rank of page will be conferred and the officers will be installed.

BRUIN'S BANQUET.

It Was Long Drawn Out and Only Whetted His Appetite.

THE FINISH WAS EXCITING.

After the Pork Course Gave Out a Dessert of Cold Lead Ended the Feast, and the Unwilling Host Yowed Never Again to Fool With a Bear.

A teamster in the employ of one of the big timberers in the west had a laughable yet trying adventure with a bear while on his way from the woods with a load of bark. As he emerged from the woods with his team he stopped to give the mules a "breathing spell" and to eat his dinner, which he carried in a tin bucket. He had scarcely opened his bucket and begun to eat when a bear came out of the woods on one side of the road, only two or three rods in the rear of the wagon. Bruin sauntered along, paying no attention to the team, but the teamster, desirous of seeing what the bear would do, threw a bit of salt pork in his way. The bear stopped, sniffed at the pork and gulped it down greedily.

Then the animal, noting the source of the morsel, came toward the wagon and rose on his haunches as if to say that another bit of pork would prove acceptable.

The teamster laughed and tossed out a second piece, which Bruin devoured, and then he posed again. But the teamster wanted the rest of his dinner himself and paid no attention to the shaggy intruder. The bear, seeing that the teamster was no longer afraid of his presence, snorted sharply two or three times and walked back and forth across the road, as if reconnoitering the situation. Presently he growled, but the teamster, thinking that the bear would go away if he got nothing further, continued his meal.

The bear ventured near and finally climbed up the load of bark at the hind end of the wagon. The man was unpleasantly surprised at this movement of Bruin's, as he was wholly unarméd.

Accordingly he threw a bit of pork into the road, at the same time yelling to the bear to direct its attention to the meat. The bear dropped down and went and picked it up, but as soon as it was swallowed and there was no more forthcoming he made another charge upon the wagon.

The teamster started the mules on ward, but knew that he could not hope to escape with his heavy load of bark. An idea struck him. He would coax the bear on by feeding the lurch to him until they should come to a friend's house a mile or two along the road. Then he would get a gun and shoot the old fellow.

The teamster sat on the bark, facing backward, his big dinner bucket in hand. When the bear came up with the wagon and threatened to climb upon the load the teamster tossed out a piece of pork. The supply of this edible was limited, so he tossed the least a slice of bread, which fell butter side up. Bruin nosed it, then licked the butter off and left it.

The next slice fell butter side down, and the bear ignored it. Balled eggs and cheese fared the same. Bruin wanted pork. The teamster dealt this out in small bits, which failed to satisfy, and the bear was growing ugly and aggressive.

At length the teamster saw his friend at work in a field and called to him to run for his gun. The man seemed to realize the state of the case and set off on a dead run for his house, a quarter of a mile distant. But the supply of pork was out before he returned, and the poor teamster was in a sorry plight.

The bear climbed upon the load. The teamster then jumped from his wagon and tore down the road. Bruin, probably thinking that the teamster was fleeing with a stock of coveted pork, started after him. The terrified man had a fair start, but he stumbled over a stone and fell full length, and the bear was close upon him when there came the loud report of a gun.

The friend had come at last. The teamster rose and looked round. There lay his late pursuer in the road, dead. The teamster declared that never again would he fool with a bear.—Harper's Weekly.

WINTER WORK FOR THE BOY.

Way to Keep Him on the Farm is to Make It Profitable For Him.

Many farmers who do not feel able to pay their sons very high wages in spring and summer and who feel that the boys really do not earn more than \$10 or \$12 a month with their board, have arranged matters so that the young men can in the winter make up for the apparently low wages of summer and make some money without taking it out of the family purse. Many men would like to send their sons to college and then set them up on farms of their own, but they are not financially able to do so, and even if they were it might be the worst thing possible for the boys. The best plan, as many fathers have found out, is to help the boy to help himself and keep him so busy and with so much money flowing into his pocket as to drive out all thoughts of deserting the farm, says the Country Gentleman.

Some may have taken up the plan of allowing their boys to take in flocks of sheep on shares, merely going security for them when necessary, but putting them beyond this entirely on their own resources. There is no surer way of building up a rundown farm or one not large enough to support much stock than by getting on a lot of sheep as winter boarders. The fertility counts year by year, and while the boy is kept out of mischief the farm is steadily growing in value.

Then there are other fathers who encourage the boys to take up winter work in the shape of teaching the district school, working in the barn of a neighbor who has much stock and little help to take care of it, buying poultry for some dealer or any one of a dozen occupations that pay fairly well for a young man's time. Teaching the district school leaves little time to help with the farm chores, but the farmer is relieved of the worry of the boy wanting to leave the farm, and school will be out in the spring in time for the active farm work, so that what the boy makes is almost clear money.

Boarding town horses is another industry open to boys and one that is not hard work. The feed must be bought and the horses given regular and intelligent care, but it doesn't take very long to look after a dozen horses and keep them in good condition. There is always the chicken business to fall back on, and an enterprising lad can put in a winter flock that will more than pay for itself in eggs and then can sell the hens for almost as much as they cost when spring comes. By picking up a few hens here and a few there at odd moments he can get a respectable flock and have a nice basket of eggs to market each week from the last of January until May.

It is easy to keep boys busy in winter on any farm, but not always easy to make the time profitable for them. It takes real courage on the part of the average father to give the son his whole time and board him free when he might be cleaning up the farm or helping him make money.

OUR SUPREME COURT.

Its Changes in Numbers Since It Was First Organized.

As originally made up the supreme court consisted of a chief justice and five associate justices. In 1807 a sixth associate was added when a new district had been created to take in the new western territory comprising the states of Ohio, Tennessee and Kentucky. In 1837 the expansion of the nation westward again called for an increase in the court, and two more associate justices were added.

In 1863 a ninth associate justice was needed, but five years later, when approaching vacancies made it likely that President Andrew Johnson might have the appointment of the new members, congress, then in open antagonism to the chief executive, reduced the number to seven; thus preventing him from making an appointment.

This number two years later, after the inauguration of President Grant, was increased to eight associate justices and a chief justice, and as then constituted the court has remained. The last alteration in the court was declared at the time to be due to political reasons as clearly as the reduction in 1863, as the addition of a new member made it possible for the court to reverse itself in the legal tender decisions.—New York Post.

A TOWER OF SKULLS.

Growsome Monument Erected by the Turks in Servia.

A strange monument of modern barbarism still survives at Nish, in southeast Servia. During the war of independence in 1800 the Servian garrison here exploded a powder magazine and perished therein rather than fall into the hands of the Turks.

A battle had previously taken place, and the Turks commemorated their victory by erecting a rude tower, ornamented with the heads of their enemies. Old people will tell you that there were once 1,200 heads, but as the tower was never more than twenty-five feet high this is probably an exaggeration.

Lamarine and other travelers relate that they saw hair still clinging to the skulls, which must have formed a gruesome spectacle. During many years visitors were in the habit of carrying off skulls as souvenirs, but when Nish became Servian the remains were taken away for decent burial. All save a few that were too deeply imbedded.

In recent years the remains of the tower have been covered over with a roof to protect them against the elements, and they are regarded as a pious object of patriotic pilgrimage.—Wide World Magazine.

"Jack in the Box Islands."

It is said that the natives of the Aleutian islands have given the name "Jack in the Box Islands" to the curious chain that extends out toward Asia from Alaska. They are like stepping stones laid for a giant in the ocean by which he might tread the sea dryshod. A writer in the Philadelphia Ledger says that they may perhaps be used some day as the Florida keys are used, as the support of a seagoing railroad, with the widest gaps covered by railroad ferries. These islands appear and disappear in a curious way in connection with the activity of Bogoslof, a small volcano that is among them. The island appeared in 1883, Perry Island in 1905, McCullough peak in 1909, but disappeared the next year. Another island became visible in 1900.—Christian Science Monitor.

Ladies Fair.

All blouses are not light headed. Girls with liquid voices should be careful not to strain them. Some women are a delight to the eye and a agony to the mind. Never tell a grass widow that she is in the heyday of life. If woman's age counts against her she knows enough to keep down the count.

The girl who marries for a lark often finds out that she was a fool. The idea of marrying will haunt a woman if she has the ghost of a chance. Girls feel proud of having many new admirers, but one old one is really more to her credit.—Boston Transcript.

Loans Without Interest.

In the city of Barcelona, Spain, there is a peculiar pawnbroking establishment bearing the dainty name of "Our Lady of Hope," where loans are made without interest to necessitous persons on the deposit of any articles in pledge. Two-thirds of the value of the deposit is at once advanced, and the loan is made for six months and a day, but if at the expiration of that period the depositor should declare himself unable to redeem it, after another period of six months the pledges are sold, but if they yield more than the amount advanced the difference is given to the original owner. This institution is very popular. Thousands are every year suitors for the favor thus afforded by "Our Lady of Hope."—Richard Ford, "Gatherings From Spain."

Another Miss.

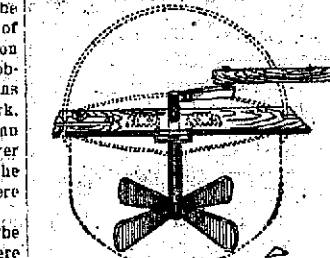
A young recruit was just commencing his first course of musketry. The instructor, getting very angry with him, told him exactly what to do, and each time he missed the target. At last the instructor lost his temper and told him to take a spare round behind the buttocks and shoot himself with it. Presently the instructor was startled by hearing a report from a rifle behind the buttocks, without a moment's hesitation he rushed round to see what had occurred, when the recruit looked up from examining his rifle and said quite coolly: "It's all right; don't get alarmed; it's another miss."—London Telegraph.

NOW'S THE TIME.

Now is a good time to plan next year's crops and prepare for carrying out your plans. Have your tools and seed all ready to use when the soil is fit to work. Test your seed corn, so you will not have to waste your time in the spring to do it.

Handy Help For Mother.

The cut represents an apple butter stirrer which is hard to beat. It is made of a wooden shaft about two inches thick and about three inches higher than the kettle with a crank about one foot long turned by a long



APPLE BUTTER STIRRER.

pole or lath as shown in the cut. The shaft is held in place by a strip of board through which it passes. The board has a mouth at each end which fits around the kettle handle. At one mouth is an iron slide with a set screw to hold the board in place.—National Stockman and Farmer.

Everything But—

The City Man—Your father, I believe, cleared the land of everything. The Countryman—Yes, everything but the mortgage.

The Record of Raindrops.

It is by carefully noting small and apparently insignificant things and facts that men of science are enabled to reach some of their most surprising and interesting conclusions. In many places the surface of rocks, which millions of years ago must have formed sandy or muddy seabeds, is found to be pitted with the impressions of raindrops. In England it has been noticed that in many cases the eastern sides of these depressions are the more deeply pitted, indicating that the raindrops which formed them were driven before a west wind. From this the conclusion is drawn that in the remote epoch when the pits were formed the majority of the storms in England came from the west, just as they do today.—Harper's Weekly.

Old Time Verdicts.

A certain medieval jury, as related in the Oxford and Cambridge Review, sitting upon the case of a man and his wife who had been struck by lightning, returned the reasonable verdict, "No one is suspected." In another case, when the body of a man similarly killed was first found by his wife, the jury was gratifyingly definite in its finding that "she is not suspected." In modern days the verdict in a case of self-inflicted death is apt to be "temporary insanity." This was beyond our medieval predecessors, but their formula showed a glimmering of the idea that a man must be mad to take his own life, verities in such cases often being that the victim had acted "by temptation of the devil."

The Drone.

Son—What kind of a man is a drone, papa? Father—One who stands in a revolving door and waits for some one else to push it around so he can get in.

Mean Thing.

Maynard—He beat the burglar, engaged a room, and gave me last night's dinner. Gracie—Has that just got around in your head?

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LOCAL DASHES

Neither sleighing or wheeling today.

Change of Pictures and Vaudeville at Music Hall today.

It is time to talk of getting after the brown-tail moths.

Lots of snow and hail in the north country last night but no rain.

Portsmouth should have a law whereby residents should be forced to use the sidewalk shovel a little.

Is this a weather breeder? The barometer this morning was down to 28.70, the lowest for a long time.

Carpet sweepers, umbrellas and clothes wringers repaired; skates sharpened, keys made at Horne's.

Oysters, clams, fish and provisions. We smoke our own finnan haddock. E. S. Downs, 37 Market St. All fish in glass cases.

The crosswalks all over the city were in a bad condition this morning and after a while were cleaned off by the street department.

The fair under the auspices of Wentworth Lodge, No. 22, K. of P., of Newcastle which was to have commenced this evening is postponed to Feb. 13, 14 and 15.

Smelts, scallops, salmon, haddock, halibut, fresh herring, mackerel, tongue and chickens, clams, oysters. Newton's Cash Fish Market, Islington street, opposite shoe factory.

Remember Lord is agent for the record breaking motorcycles, Excelsior, Indian, Reading Standard. Everything equipped with free clutch. Singles \$200, Twins \$225 to \$250. Magneto of course.

RAILROAD NOTES

The grand jury of Portland has indicted eight boys charged with stealing a hand car. The boys, John T. Cummings, Owen F. Newman, Albert H. S. Peterson, John W. Mulloy, William B. Barton, Robert D. Logan, Martin Joyce and Charles E. Pettis, Jr., range in age from 14 to 18 years.

The car was taken from the Grand Trunk railway at East Deering and riding out as far as Cumberland where they abandoned it when they realized that they were being chased by a locomotive.

PERSONALS

Willis E. Kiernan is in Boston today on business.

Fred A. Canney is in Boston today on business.

Mrs. John H. Allen is visiting relatives in Merrimack.

Mrs. Amos P. Kimball of Haverhill is visiting relatives here.

Clyde Anderson of Salem, Mass., was a visitor here on Monday.

Mrs. John J. McCarthy of Blodgett is visiting relatives in this city.

Miss Alice F. Adams is passing the month with relatives in Boston.

Miss Mildred Forrest of Farmington is visiting relatives in this city.

Mrs. Winthrop H. Marston of Salem, Mass., is the guest of relatives.

Mrs. Margaret Calder of Hartford, Conn., is the guest of Mrs. and Mrs. A. C. Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. William J. Harris of Boston Highlands are passing the week in this city.

Miss Isadore Everett of Lancaster is the guest of Misses Mary and Annie Smith, Middle street.

State Agent Howard O. Nelson of the New Hampshire S. P. C. A., was in Dover today on business connected with the society.

John McIntyre of Dover, proprietor of the Peoples Market in this city, sustained a paralytic shock at his home on Central avenue Monday morning. He arose at an early hour, dressed himself and was making preparations to go out when stricken. But little hopes are entertained for his recovery.

Matinee daily at Music Hall Saturday at 2.15.

NEW RESIDENCE READY

The new residence of Charles W. Ham on South road is completed and the family are now moving to the same. Its a handsome dwelling which was remodeled at a big cost and is located in one of the beauty spots of the rural district.

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BANK ELECTION HELD TODAY

Officers and Directors for the Present Year Chosen By Local Financial Institutions

The several National Banks of this city held their annual meeting this Tuesday morning and the following officers and directors were elected for the ensuing year:

FIRST NATIONAL BANK
Directors
John H. Bronghton, Charles A. Hazlett, Henry A. Yeaton, Joseph O. Hobbs, Wallace Hackett, John K. Bates and Edward T. Kimball.
President, J. K. Bates.
Cashier, C. A. Hazlett.
Tellers, R. W. Jenkins, E. C. Matthews, Jr., and J. H. McPhee.
Bookkeeper, Katherine Sweetser.
Stenographer, Alice M. Marden.

NEW HAMPSHIRE
President, Calvin Page.
Cashier, Wm. C. Walton.
Asst. Cashier, Wm. L. Conlon.
Directors
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Alfred F. Howard, Fred H. Ward, John W. Emery and Wm. C. Walton.

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Vice President, Alfred F. Howard.
Treasurer, William C. Walton.
Directors
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Directors
Joseph W. Peirce, Gustave Peyser, C. F. Shillaber, G. Ralph Loughton, William E. Marvin, Thomas H. Rifer and Frederick M. Sise.
President, G. Ralph Loughton.
Cashier, C. F. Shillaber.

SNOW PLOW JUMPS THE TRACK

Leaves Rail and Starts Up Wihird Street--No Serious Damage

The snow plow of the Portsmouth street railway in charge of foreman Dowdell made a queer move early this morning while cleaning the tracks of the Plain's loop. When coming along Middle street it struck thick ice on the tracks near the corner of Wihird street and went off the iron. The brakes were applied, but did not stop the plow

before it had cut across the side-walk and headed up Wihird street. The roof of the plow just escaped striking a pole on the side of the highway. No damage occurred of any consequence and a few hours later the plow was pulled on the track by one of the cars. The plow continued to run throughout the day.

READS ANNUAL ACCOUNT OF PARISH

Rev. E. M. O'Callaghan Gives Concord People Yearly Financial Conditions

Rev. E. M. O'Callaghan, Vicar General of the Manchester diocese and pastor of St. John's church Concord, on Sunday, gave his annual report to his parishioners which shows his excellent work as a financier. While in Portsmouth, his annual report was of much interest to the parish and cannot help being the same to Concord people. On Sunday last he stated the parish conditions for the year of 1911, which were the following:

The total receipts for the year were \$8,913.84 of which \$452 was received in connection for outside objects. The total expenditures were \$7,770.71 of which \$500 was used in lessening the church debt. On Jan. 1, 1912, the balance in the church treasury was \$1143.13. The church debt at present is \$2500. The total valuation of the church property as quoted by Mgr. O'Callaghan is \$161,000 on which insurance to the amount of \$76,554 is carried.

ALMOST FROZEN

Aged Newington Man Discovered Just in Time

John Edward Downing, an aged resident of Newington, was found on Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. Edward Brown in a nearly frozen condition. Downing, who is a man about 75 years old, lives alone, and as the Browns were passing his home decided to make a friendly call. Upon entering the house they found the aged man lying on the floor in a semi-conscious state.

Dr. John J. Berry was called and he found that Downing was not only suffering from exposure but from a paralytic shock.

The timely discovery of the aged man no doubt saved his life.

OBITUARY.

VIRGIL M. CALE
Virgil M. Cale died at the home of John D. Bryant, Boyds Road, this morning, aged about 65 years. He is survived by a nephew and niece, Paul M. and Helen Harvey of Summer street.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

Funeral services of Mrs. Katherine Frizzell will be held at Christ church, Madison street, Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

BACK TO SUPERIOR COURT

The tax appeal case of Judge Calvin Page against the city, which has

was in South cemetery under the direction of Undertaker O. W. Ham.

Mrs. Mercy A. James

The funeral of Mrs. Mercy A. James was held from her late home on Walker street, Kittery, today at 2 p. m. Rev. Arnaldo Natino officiating. Interment was in Chapel cemetery under the direction of Undertaker O. W. Ham.

LOCAL BANK GETS BONDS

National Mechanics and Traders Bank Purchase Water Bonds

Bids for the new issue of \$150,000 of City of Portsmouth refunding water bonds due Jan. 1, 1932, were opened this morning at the City hall. The bid of the National Mechanics and Traders Bank of this city for \$100,000, being the highest was accepted.

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